

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/533,941 Group Art Unit: 1711
 Filing Date: October 25, 2005 Examiner: Sanza L. McClendon
 Applicant: Dirk Wybe GRIJPMA et al.

Title: METHOD FOR PROVIDING SHAPED
 BIODEGRADABLE AND ELASTOMERIC
 STRUCTURES OF (CO) POLYMERS 1,3-
 TRIMETHYLENE CARBONATE (TMC), SHAPED
 BIODEGRADABLE AND ELASTOMERIC
 STRUCTURES, AND THE USE OF THESE
 STRUCTURES

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 27, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	24	-	24	=	0
Independent	1	-	3	=	0